GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
COAL
LOK SABHA

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VACANT POSTS IN CIL
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Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state:

(a) whether the functioning of the Coal India Ltd. and its ancilliary companies are being adversely affected as there is no Chairman and Chairman-cum-Managing Director in these companies; and

(b) if so, the steps taken by the Government to fill the said posts on regular basis?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COAL (SHRI SYED SHAHNAWAZ HUSSAIN)

(a)&(b): The posts of Chairman-cum-Managing Directorsare vacant i n the Coal India Limited(CIL), Bharat CokingCoal Limited(BCCL), MahanadiCoalfields Limited(MCL) and Western Coalfields Limited(WCL) The Public EnterprisesSelection Board has recommended panels of names for filling these vacancies. Out of these, proposal for appointment of CMDs in CIL, BCCL and WCL have already been sent to the competent authority for approval. In regard to the post of CMD,MCL, vigilanceclearance of the candidates in the panel is awaited from the Central Vigilance Commission.

In order to facilitate smooth and effective functioning of these companies, additional charge arrangements have been made for the posts of CMDs pending appointment of regular CMDs in these companies.